

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH :
HEALTH SERVICES REGULATION :
BOARD OF EXAMINERS IN DENTISTRY :
:
v. :
:
JOSEPH MANSOLILLO, D.D.S. :

SUMMARY SUSPENSION

Joseph Mansolillo, DDS (hereinafter “Respondent”) is licensed as a dentist pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws 5-31-1, et seq.

A routine monitoring of RI controlled substance database revealed a prescription profile for Patient A which indicated that **patient had been prescribed Vicodin ES, approximately 150-200 tablets every 30 days since 1998.** Furthermore, a copy of Patient A’s record revealed no evidence of medical history or updated medical history from 1979 to present. Lastly, Patient A’s records do not reflect prescribing activity of Respondent for Vicodin ES, e.g., **five-year period, 10/02-7/07, over 180 prescriptions for Vicodin ES** were written and filled for Patient A, however, **not one entry** for these prescriptions were logged in Patient A’s record. In addition, there **were no entries** in Patient A’s record to substantiate diagnosis or continuation of pain management.

Based upon the foregoing, the Director of Health has determined that the continuation of the license of Joseph Mansolillo, DDS as a dentist constitutes an imminent threat to the health, welfare and safety of the public. Accordingly, the license of dentist, Joseph Mansolillo, DDS is hereby **suspended** forthwith pursuant to R.I.

General Laws 5-31-1-19. Said **suspension** shall continue indefinitely pending further Order of the Department of Health.

The Respondent may request a hearing on this matter which will be scheduled within ten (10) days, if so requested.

Signed this _____ day of _____ 2007.

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CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that I have hand-delivered the within SUMMARY SUSPENSION to Joseph Mansolillo, DDS, 1347 Hartford Avenue, Johnston, RI 02919 on this _____ day of _____ 2007.
